Amendments to the Claims:

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

<u>Listing of Claims</u>:

- 1. (Currently amended) A valve comprising a supporting dome, a valve body situated in said dome, a valve disk which is connected to the supporting dome and has an opening which can be closed by the valve body, and an element having a spring action which urges the valve body toward a position in which the valve body closes the opening of the valve disk, wherein the valve disk has is equipped with a receptacle in the form of a hood for a screen element, and the screen element is encased within said hood and permanently connected to the valve disk.
- 2. (Original) A valve according to claim 1, wherein the supporting dome and the valve disk have common contact surfaces and are connected by a clamp element, and wherein said clamp element also fastens the valve in an opening.

3. (Canceled)

- 4. (Currently amended) A valve according to claim 3 1, wherein the screen element is composed of sintered or foamed synthetic resin material.
- 5. (Currently amended) A valve according to claim <u>3</u> 1, wherein the screen element is made of a synthetic resin material.
- 6. (Original) A valve according to claim 5, wherein the synthetic resin material is a polyamide or a polyester material.

- 7. (Original) A valve according to claim 1, wherein the valve has an opening pressure in the range from 0.1 to 0.4 bar.
- 8. (Original) A valve according to claim 1, wherein said valve has a liquid throughput in the range from 0.5 to 5 liters per minute.
- 9. (Original) A valve according to claim 1, wherein the supporting dome is equipped with a guide pin, and the valve body moves on this guide pin.
- 10. (Original) A valve according to claim 1, wherein the supporting dome, the valve body and the valve disk are made of synthetic resin material.
- 11. (Original) A valve according to claim 9, wherein the synthetic resin material is a nylon polyamide.
- 12. (Original) A valve according to claim 1, wherein the valve is arranged in a lubricating oil circuit of an internal combustion engine.